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SOVIET LEADERS IN WARSAW

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(TEXT) WARSAW--A DELEGATION OF THE SOVIET UNION ARRIVED IN WARSAW ON 13 JULY TO TAKE PART IN THE MEETING OF LEADERS OF SOCIALIST COUNTRIES. THE DELEGATION IS COMPOSED OF LOENID BREZHNEV, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE, CHAIRMAN OF THE DELEGATION; NIKOLAY PODGORNYY, MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE, CHAIRMAN OF THE PRESIDUM OF THE USSR SUPREME SOVIET; ALEKSEY KOSYGIN, MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE, CHAIRMAN OF THE USSR COUNCIL OF MINISTERS; PETR SHELEST, MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE, FIRST SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF UKRAINE; AND KONSTANTIN KATUSHEV, SECRETARY OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

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Kosygin is now in Stockholm, where he is concluding his official visit.

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